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PATENT  
Docket No. SA9-97-115

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: F. Lee et al )  
Serial No.: 09/219,195 )  
Filed: December 21, 1998 ) Group Art  
For: INTERCONNECT MODULE FOR USE IN A ) Unit: 2754  
SUSPENSION ASSEMBLY )  
Examiner: Franklin D. Altman )

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 2, 2001, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the present application in view of the following remarks.